

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

SILICONIX INCORPORATED, a Delaware  
corporation,

No. C 03-04803 WHA

Plaintiff,

**REQUEST FOR FURTHER  
INFORMATION**

v.

ALPHA AND OMEGA SEMICONDUCTOR  
INCORPORATED, a California corporation,

Defendant.  
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Administrative motions have been filed in C 05-01507 and C 05-3617, requesting  
consideration of whether the following cases should be related:

C 03-04803 WHA	<i>Siliconix Inc. v. Alpha and Omega Semiconductor Inc.</i>
C 04-00344 SI	<i>Siliconix Inc. v. Advanced Analogic Technologies Inc.</i>
C 05-01507 MHP	<i>Siliconix Inc. v. Denso Corp., et al.</i>
C 05-03617 PJH	<i>Siliconix Inc. v. Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd. et al.</i>

Civil Local Rule 3-12(a) provides that actions are related when:

(1) The actions concern substantially the same parties, property, transaction  
or event; and

(2) It appears likely that there will be an unduly burdensome duplication of  
labor and expense or conflicting results if the cases are conducted before  
different Judges.

As the Judge assigned to the earliest-filed case, the undersigned has evaluated the files and finds  
that there is insufficient information at this time to determine whether the cases are related.

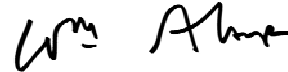
While the patents-in-suit are substantially the same, it is unclear whether (1) the same claims are

1 being asserted; (2) the accused products are similar; or (3) there is any risk of conflicting with  
2 the claim construction order in the earliest-filed case dated September 8, 2004.

3 All interested parties are invited to submit further information, not exceeding three pages  
4 each, by **OCTOBER 17, 2005**.

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6 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

7 Dated: October 7, 2005



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9 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE  
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